IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

8:13CR139

VS.

JOSEPH TOWNSEND,

Defendant.

ORDER ON APPEARANCE FOR SUPERVISED RELEASE VIOLATION

The defendant appeared before the court on April 18, 2019 regarding the Amended Petition for Offender Under Supervision [91]. Michael F. Maloney represented the defendant. Matt E. Lierman represented the government. The defendant was advised of the alleged violations of supervised release, right to retain or appointment of counsel, and any right to a preliminary hearing in accordance with Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 32.1(a)(3).

The government made an oral motion to dismiss the Petition for Offender Under Supervision [79]. The government's oral motion to dismiss the Petition for Offender Under Supervision [79] is granted without objection.

The defendant freely, knowingly, intelligently, and voluntarily waived the right to a preliminary hearing. Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.1(b)(1)(A). The Court finds probable cause as alleged in the petition to believe the defendant violated the terms of supervised release and the defendant should be held to answer for a final dispositional hearing. Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.1(b)(1)(C). The defendant shall appear personally for a final dispositional hearing before Senior Judge Smith Camp in Courtroom 2, Third Floor, Roman L. Hruska Federal Courthouse, 111 South 18th Plaza, Omaha, Nebraska, on June 20, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.

The government moved for detention based upon risk of danger. The defendant requested a detention hearing which was held. The court finds that the defendant failed to meet his burden to establish by clear and convincing evidence that he will not pose a danger to any other person or to the community. Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.1(a)(6); 18 U.S.C.

§ 3143(a)(1). The government's motion for detention is granted as to risk of danger and the defendant shall be detained until further order of the Court.

The defendant shall be committed to the custody of the Attorney General or designated representative for confinement in a correctional facility and shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity for private consultation with defense counsel. Upon order of a United States court or upon request of an attorney for the government, the person in charge of the corrections facility shall deliver the defendant to the United States Marshal for an appearance in connection with a court proceeding.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 19th day of April, 2019.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Susan M. Bazis United States Magistrate Judge